IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For:

Nucleic Acid Sequences and Methods of Use for the Production of Plants with Modified

Polyunsatured Fatty Acids

Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Office Action be extended one month from November 5, 2007 to December 5, 2007 by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

Authorization to charge the official fees for this filing is given in the accompanying transmittal letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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